



Milwaukee County

Supervisor David Bowen, District 10

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SUPERVISOR BOWEN NAMED “CHAMPION FOR CHANGE” BY COMMUNITY SHARES OF GREATER MILWAUKEE *Champions for Change Presented by Potawatomi Bingo Casino*

Milwaukee, WI – Supervisor David Bowen, District 10, was honored as a Community Shares of Greater Milwaukee “Champion for Change” Presented by Potawatomi Bingo Casino on Thursday, August 16, 2012.

Supervisor Bowen received the “Future of Change Award” for his contributions to youth and community engagement.

“I am humbled by and very appreciative of this recognition,” said Supervisor Bowen. “I sincerely hope this award will build awareness of the need for bold leadership to address critical issues facing oppressed people and will encourage others – especially young people -- to advocate for social justice.”

Prior to his election to the Milwaukee County Board, Supervisor Bowen served as program director at Urban Underground, where he oversaw creation and implementation of youth programs, services and professional development training for adults interested in youth civic engagement and leadership. A nationally recognized trainer for intergenerational community improvement strategies, Supervisor Bowen served on the Medical College of Wisconsin’s Violence Prevention Initiative Steering Committee and is currently a member of the City of Milwaukee’s Homicide Review Commission.

Supervisor Bowen is also a two-time graduate of the Americorps program Public Allies.

Community Shares of Greater Milwaukee is a membership organization, committed to raising money for its nonprofit members, which focus on social justice, animal welfare and the environment.

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